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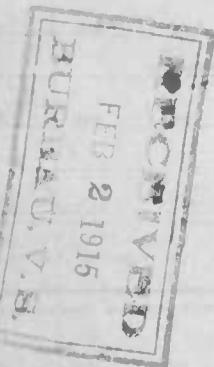
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1 PLACE OF DEATH County <u>Hanover</u>		1169 S	STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
Village or City <u>Hiddleton</u> (No.)		St. _____ Ward _____	Registration Dist. No. <u>354</u>	
2 FULL NAME <u>No Name</u>				
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS				
3 SEX <u>Boy</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)		
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>July 10</u>		(Month) (Day) (Year)	16 DATE OF DEATH <u>Jun 10</u>	
7 AGE <u>Still Born</u>		if LESS than 1 day, ____ hrs. OR ____ min. ?	(Month) (Day) (Year)	
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. <u>000</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)				
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)				
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>George Bone Jr</u>		17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended <u>the birth of the child</u> <u>it was born dead</u> <u>and I last saw it alive on</u> <u>July 10, 1915</u> and that death occurred on the date stated above.		
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Hiddleton Ind</u>		The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <u>Born Dead</u>		
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Grace T Hudson</u>		18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)		
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Hiddleton Ind</u>		At place _____ In the _____ of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.		
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>George Bone Jr</u> (Address) <u>Hiddleton Ind</u>				
15 Filed. <u>191</u>		Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Former or usual residence.		
16 REGISTRAR				

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jun 10, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the birth of the child  
it was born dead and I last saw it alive on July 10, 1915

and that death occurred on the date stated above.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Born Dead

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
(Signed) J. C. Ostry M. D.  
and 26, 1915 (Address) Goshen Ind

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place \_\_\_\_\_ In the \_\_\_\_\_  
of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>By Hamig &amp; Barnes</u>	DATE OF BURIAL <u>June 10</u> , 1915
20 UNDERTAKER <u>By Hamig</u>	ADDRESS

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**1 PLACE OF DEATH**  
County Hanover

**2 VILLAGE OR CITY** Berlin Rd (No. ....)

**3 FULL NAME** Mr Name Brittingham

**PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS**

<b>4 SEX</b> <u>Female</u>	<b>5 COLOR OR RACE</b> <u>Blk</u>	<b>6 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED</b> (Write the word) <u>Widowed</u>
<b>7 DATE OF BIRTH</b> <u>1 14 1875</u>		(Month) (Day) (Year)
<b>8 AGE</b> <u>Still born</u>		If LESS than 1 day, ... hrs. OR ... min. ?
<b>9 OCCUPATION</b> (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>None</u>		
<b>(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)</b> <u>None</u>		
<b>10 BIRTHPLACE</b> (State or country) <u>Hanover Co Md</u>		
<b>11 NAME OF FATHER</b> <u>Mr Brittingham</u>		
<b>12 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER</b> (State or country) <u>Hanover Co</u>		
<b>13 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER</b> <u>Sarah Rush</u>		
<b>14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE</b> (Informant) <u>Mr Holland M.D.</u> (Address) <u>Berlin Rd</u>		
<b>15 FILED</b> <u>1/16 1916</u> <u>EWL</u>		
REGISTRAR		

**STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

**Registration Dist. No.** 305

**St.; Ward** St. Ward

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

**16 DATE OF DEATH** 1/14 1916

(Month) (Day) (Year)

**17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from**  
1/14 1916 to 1/14 1916  
that I last saw him alive on 1/14 1916 Bradburn, 1916

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8 A.M.

**The CAUSE OF DEATH\*** was as follows:

Premature birth

**18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)**

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence:

**19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL** No undertaker **DATE OF BURIAL** 1916

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County Worcester

Village or City Stockton (No. ....)

1112

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 354

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

St. .... Ward)

2 FULL NAME Shadon Coenman

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Black 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept Mon day, 1  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE About 3 yrs. .... mos. .... ds. .... If LESS than  
1 day, .... hrs.  
OR .... min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work None  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer) None

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF  
FATHER Wm Coenman

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER George L. Marshall

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) Wm Coenman

(Address) Stockton Ind

15 Filed 1/31, 1915 - W. O. Payne

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(Month) (Day) (Year)

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....., 191....., to ..... 191.....

that I last saw him alive on ..... 191.....

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at ..... m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

His Physician called standing  
near Stockton caught a  
fire & Burned to death

(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

(Signed) W. O. Payne, M. D.

1/31, 1915 (Address) Stockton Ind

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Maryland 1113  
64

Village or City St. Martin (No.)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 355

St. Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

## 2 FULL NAME

Hether L. Dennis

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) Married

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Sept 10, 1831  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

83 yrs. 4 mos. 20 ds. If LESS than  
1 f day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
OR min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)

Hair work

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country) Maryland

## PARENTS

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

John Dennis

## 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country) Maryland

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Hether L. Dennis

## 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country) Maryland

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) H. L. Dennis  
(Address) St. Martin, Md.

## 15

Filed 7/1-1915 W. L. Deenway

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

1 30, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan. 22, 1915, to Jan 29, 1915,

that I last saw her alive on Jan 29, 1915, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 2 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Acute congestion

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

Cerebral

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) W. L. Deenway (Address) St. Martin, Md.

1/30, 1915 W. L. Deenway

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

## 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place yrs. mos. ds. In the  
of death yrs. mos. ds. State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Bethel Church 7/1-1915 1915  
DATE OF BURIAL

## 20 UNDERTAKER

H. F. Martin St. Martin 7/1-1915  
ADDRESS

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
Worcester  
County  
near Pocomoke

1114

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 350

St. Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Eddie Ewell

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Don't know St., 1913  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 1 yrs. Don't know If LESS than 1 day, .... hrs. OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) at home

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Worcester Co. Md

10 NAME OF FATHER Johnny Ewell

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Worcester Co. Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Schodfeld

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Worcester Co. Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Johnny Ewell  
(Address) Pocomoke City, Md.

15 Filed 1/18, 1915 - Elman Hillman

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan. 18, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, THAT I attended deceased from Jan 10th, 1915, to Jan 16th, 1915

that I last saw him alive on Jan 16th, 1915

and that death occurred on the date stated above at 1.30 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. mos. 10 ds.

Contributory Secondary

Papilloma, in Pocomoke City

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) F. J. Ewell, 1915 (Address)

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Temple Branch

DATE OF BURIAL 1/19, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER Elmer Ballou

ADDRESS Pocomoke

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester

Village or City Snow Hill. (No. ....)

2 FULL NAME Sadie E. Exley

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Dec 5, 1914  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 0 yrs. 1 mos. 3 ds. 11 LESS than  
1 day, .... hrs.  
OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work. None  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer) None

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF  
FATHER John E. Exley

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) Pennsylvania

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER Lola Lee Weston

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John E. Exley  
(Address) Box 100, Snow Hill

15 Filed Jan 10, 1915 by L. Day Smith

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 351

St. Ward)

[If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME instead  
of street and number.]

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan 8, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Jan 8, 1915, to Jan 8, 1915,  
that I last saw her alive on Jan 8, 1915.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) John E. Exley, M. D.

Jan 9, 1915 (Address) Snow Hill, Md.

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CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIEN-  
TAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

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OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Snow Hill, Md. Jan 10, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

W. T. Evans ADDRESS Snow Hill, Md.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

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County Worcester

Village or City Shoreline Md (No.)

1116

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 355

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME not named

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Godwin

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Jan 26, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE  
yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. If LESS than  
1 day, 0 hrs. 0 mins. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Shoreline Md

10 NAME OF  
FATHER George Godwin

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) Bishop Md 07 D

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER Mary Watson

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) Shoreline Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) Walter J. Birch

(Address) Shoreline Md

15 Filed 1/22 1915 W. L. Haccoway

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan 21, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

, 1915, to , 1915,

that I last saw h. alive on , 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at , 1915.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

I was called to Mrs. George Godwin in confinement last year to attend her. Godwin died when I arrived (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Secondary  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) R. P. Colkitt, M. D.

Jan 21, 1915 (Address) Bishopville Md

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. to the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Jacobs Cemetery Jan 22, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER

P. F. Nation Bishopville

DATE OF BURIAL

Jan 22, 1915

ADDRESS

Bishopville

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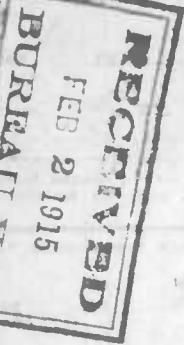
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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Worcester

Village or City Near Bishopville (No.)

1117

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 355

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

189

2 FULL NAME John H. Gray

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> (Write the word)
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## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Apr 15, 1823  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

92 yrs. 9 mos. 24 ds. It LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work

Farmer

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

## PARENTS

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Jessie Gray

## 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Maryland

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Collie Bleg

## 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Delaware

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mollie Gray(Address) Bishopville Md

15 Filed Jan 11, 1915 by W. H. Holloway

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan 9, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

, 1911, to , 1911,

that I last saw h alive on , 1911,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

No Doctor in attendance

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) W. H. Holloway Registration No. 355  
Jan 11, 1915 (Address) Bishopville Md

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## 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place yrs. mos. ds. In the  
of death yrs. mos. ds. State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
It not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence.

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Family Cemetery Jan 11, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER

P. F. Watson ADDRESS Bishopville  
D. C.

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 6 E. Franklin St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County *Worcester*

Village or City *Ocean City* (No. *3*), *Md*

2 FULL NAME *William Monroe Hastings*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX *Male* 4 COLOR OR RACE *White* 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) *✓*

6 DATE OF BIRTH

*Jan.* *13*, *1915*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

*— yrs. — mos. / ds.* If LESS than  
1 day, ... hrs.  
OR ... min. ?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work. *Businessman*  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer) *Businessman*

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) *Maryland*

10 NAME OF  
FATHER *William Hastings*

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) *Maryland*

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER *Maud Powell*

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) *Maryland*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) *William Hastings*  
(Address) *Ocean City Md*

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1118

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. *352*

St.; Ward)

[If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME instead  
of street and number.]

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

*Jan* *14*, *1915*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

*Jan 13, 1915* to *Jan 14, 1915*,

that I last saw him alive on *Jan 14, 1915*,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at *8 P.M.*

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

*Respiratory Disease*

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) *J. J. Thompson* M. D.  
*Jan 14, 1915* (Address) *Ocean City Md*

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

*Evergreen Cemetery* *Jan 14, 1915*

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

*J. H. Bentlage Co.* *Berlin Md*

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester

1119 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 355

92

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

Village or City Berlin Md. (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

## 2 FULL NAME

Mary L. Henry

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED widowed  
(Write the word)

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Jan 17, 1886  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 74 yrs. 11 mos. 23 ds. 8 If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. OR \_\_\_\_\_ min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work

At Home

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

## PARENTS

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Nicholson Christopher

## 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Maryland

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Lizzie Harrington

## 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Maryland

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Edward B. Henry

(Address) Baltimore Md.

## 15

Jan 6, 1915 W. H. Kacoway

File No.

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan 4, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Jan 1, 1915 to Jan 4, 1915,  
that I last saw her alive on Jan 4, 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Obesity, pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Patricia Dean, M. D.

Jan 5, 1915 (Address) Baltimore Md.

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At place \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence:

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Berlin Md. DATE OF BURIAL Jan 6, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

Curtis J. Evans ADDRESS Berlin Md.

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County Worcester

1120

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 305

Village or City Bishop, Md. (No. ....)

St. .... Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Edna Hickman

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX	4 COLOR OR RACE	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED
Female	White	Senet

(Write the word)

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Aug 25, 1913  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

1 yrs. 4 mos. 26 ds. 11 LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work.  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)

Maryland

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Charles H. Hickman

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)

Delaware

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Eva A. Flord

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

Delaware

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

Edna H. Hickman

Sellyville Del

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Filed Jan 23, 1915

W. H. Halloway

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan. 21, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan. 15, 1915, to Jan. 21, 1915,

that I last saw her alive on Jan. 20, 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:30 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Broncho-pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.

Contributory Measles  
(Secondary)(Duration) yrs. 6 mos. 6 ds.  
(Signed) J. R. Bielekop, M. D.  
1/21/15 (Address) Showell, Md.

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Redmen L. Jan 23, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

P. F. Watson Sellyville Del

DATE OF BURIAL

ADDRESS

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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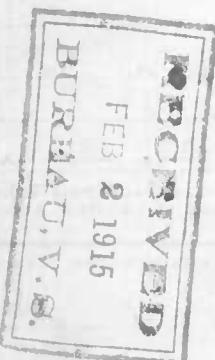
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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Hagerstown

Village or City Jaemorke (No. ....)

1121

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 350

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

28

2 FULL NAME Carrie Lee Hudson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS				
3 SEX <u>female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>white</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)	<u>Mairied</u>	
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Feb 7, 1886</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)				
7 AGE <u>68 yrs. 11 mos. 4 ds.</u>	If LESS than 1 day, .... hrs. OR min. ?			
8 OCCUPATION <u>Housewife</u>				
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work				
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)				
9 BIRTHPLACE <u>Pa</u> (State or country)				
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Alexander Justice</u>				
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER <u>Pa</u> (State or country)				
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Mary L. Justice</u>				
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER <u>Pa</u> (State or country)				
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Alexander Justice</u> (Address) <u>Jaemorke City</u>				
15 Filed <u>1/12, 1915</u> - Elman Willman REGISTRAR				

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 11, 1915

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 11, 1915 to Jan 11, 1915,  
that I last saw her alive on Jan 11, 1915, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at Jaemorke City.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Exhaustive  
(Duration) yrs. 2 mos. 0 ds.  
Contributory  
Tuberculosis  
Secondary  
Tuberculosis (Duration) 1 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.  
(Signed) J. M. Wilson M. D.  
Jan 11, 1915 (Address) Jaemorke City

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. in the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Mc Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL 1/13, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER Clément & Son ADDRESS Decandee

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Hanover

1122

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 355

Village or City Bishopville (No. ....)

St. .... Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Luster B Hudson

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Single</u> (Write the word)
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## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Aug 1, 1896  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

18 yrs. 6 mos. 5 ds.  
If LESS than  
1 day, .... hrs.  
OR .... min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

Farming9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Charles B. Hudson11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Rebecca Downs  
(Address) Bishopville Dr. R. D. #2

15 Filed Jan 6 1915 by W.L. Holloway

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 4, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

that I last saw h alive on

and that death occurred on the date stated above, st m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Accidental drowning

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) W.L. Holloway Registration No. 1000  
Jan 6, 1915 (Address) Bishopville Dr. R. D. #2

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Oldfellow Cemetery Jan 6, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

P. F. Watson ADDRESS Bishopville Del

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1 PLACE OF DEATH	
County	Worcester
Village or City	Snow Hill (No.)
2 FULL NAME	
Benjamin J. Johnson	
3 SEX	
Male	4 COLOR OR RACE
White	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)
6 DATE OF BIRTH	
Dec 23	7 AGE
(Month)	69 yrs. 1 mos. 8 ds.
	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. OR min. ?
8 OCCUPATION	
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work	
farmer	
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)	
✓	
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)	
Maryland	
10 NAME OF FATHER	
Benjamin Johnson	
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country)	
Maryland	
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	
Alice Shockey	
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country)	
Maryland	
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE	
(Informant)	Ernest Johnson
(Address)	Snow Hill
15	Filed 2/2, 1915

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 359

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS		MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
16 DATE OF DEATH	Jan 31, 1915, 191 (Month) (Day) (Year)		
I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from June 1, 1914, to Jan 15, 1915, that I last saw him alive on Jan 15, 1915, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 2 P.M.			
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:			
Arteriosclerosis, arterio sclerosis.			
(Duration) 56 yrs. mos. ds.			
Contributory Secondary Myocarditis, myocarditis.			
(Duration) 5 yrs. mos. ds.			
(Signed) Ernest Johnson, M.D.			
(Address) Snow Hill, Md.			
*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.			
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)			
At place of death		In the State	
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?			
Former or usual residence.			
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL		DATE OF BURIAL	
Snow Hill		Feb. 2, 1915	
20 UNDERTAKER		ADDRESS	
W. G. Evans		Snow Hill	

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester 124  
 Village or City Snow Hill (No. 79) St. Ward 357

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Lillian B. Johnson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
 (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Nov. 29, 1888  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 26 yrs. 1 mos. 8 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION Housekeeper  
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work.  
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE Maryland  
 (State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER Leon Johnson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Maryland  
 (State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Johnson

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
 (Informant) Leon Johnson  
 (Address) Snow Hill

15 Filed 1/6, 1915 - LeRoy Smith  
 REGISTRAR

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 5th, 1915  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Dec 29th, 1914, to Jan 5th, 1915, that I last saw him alive on Jan 5th, 1915, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at about 8 a.m. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows: Disturbance of heart with edema of lungs

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)  
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 Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death?  
 Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL By P. County Snow Hill DATE OF BURIAL Jan 6, 1915  
 20 UNDERTAKER W. P. Team ADDRESS Snow Hill

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## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Norfolk

Village or City Berlin (No.)

1125

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 355

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Jas Leroy Jones

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED S  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Aug 15, 1918  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 5 yrs. 27 mos. 0 ds. If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
OR \_\_\_\_\_ min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work None  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE Maryland  
(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER Mack Jones

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Md  
(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Ethel Richardson

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Md  
(State or country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) James Jones  
(Address) Berlin Md

(Address) Jan 9<sup>th</sup>, 1919  
File 5 W Holloway

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan. 8, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 7, 1915, to Jan 7, 1915,

that I last saw him alive on Jan 7, 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Cardiac collapse

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
Contributory Acetanilid Poisoning, Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
(Signed) J. R. Chesley, M. D.  
19 (Address) 1400 Reservoir

State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Taylorville Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Jan. 9, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER J. W. Burdage & Son ADDRESS Berlin Md.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Winchester  
Village or City Stockton (No. ....)

1126  
92

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 354

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Obed A Jones

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 2nd, 1852  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 60 yrs. 11 mos. 1 ds. If LESS than  
1 day, .... hrs.  
OR .... min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work. Farmer  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer) Farming

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Worcester Co Md

10 NAME OF  
FATHER Benjamin Jones

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) Wor Co Md

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER Amanda Hancock

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) Wor Co Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Obed A Jones  
(Address) Gardiner Md

15 Filed 14, 1915  
by W. C. Keppie

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 3, 1916  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
Dec 29, 1914, to Jan 3, 1916

that I last saw him alive on Jan 3, 1916

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 2 P.M.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Labor Pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) J. D. Dickerson, M. D.  
1/4, 1915 (Address) Stockton Md

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT  
CAREER, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIEN-  
TAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS,  
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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
If not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Bethesda Cemetery 1/5, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Hancock & Son Stockton Md

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1 PLACE OF DEATH County <u>Worcester</u>	
Village or City <u>Promote</u> (No. <u>          </u> )	
2 FULL NAME <u>Hester Marshall</u>	
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS	
3 SEX <u>Female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>Colored</u>
5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>Divorced</u> (Write the word)	
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Don't Know</u> (Month) <u>Don't Know</u> (Day) <u>1915</u> (Year)	
7 AGE About 80 yrs. mos. ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min.?	
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. <u>General Domestic</u> . (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)	
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>	
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Don't Know</u>	
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Don't Know</u>	
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Don't Know</u>	
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Don't Know</u>	
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Don Dennis</u> (Address) <u>Pocomoke RFD</u>	
15 Filed <u>7/2</u> , 1915 by <u>Grandellman</u>	

1127 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH  
Registration Dist. No. 350

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[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

St.            Ward           

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 12 (Month) 1915 (Day) 1915 (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from Jan 7th, 1915, to Jan 11th, 1915, that I last saw her alive on Jan 11th, 1915

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Pector Pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. 11 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

M. S. Lartomio (Signature) M. D. (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
Promote City, Md. (Address) Jan 12, 1915

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Halls Hill 1/13, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER W. E. Ballard ADDRESS  
Pocomoke City Pocomoke

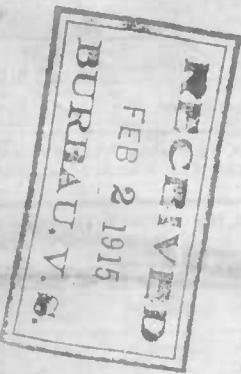
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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Worcester

Village or City Towmoke Bay (No.)

## 2 FULL NAME

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) ✓

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Jan 9<sup>th</sup>, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE ✓ yrs. ✓ mos. ✓ ds. If LESS than 1 day, .... hrs. OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work ✓  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) ✓

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Md

10 NAME OF FATHER H. H. Morris

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Delaware

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Busha T. Settlemire

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Delaware

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) H. H. Morris

(Address) Towmoke Bay

15 Filed 1915- Ephraim Helman

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1128

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 350

St. Ward

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

Morris

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan 9<sup>th</sup>, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

✓, 1915, to ✓, 1915,

that I last saw h. alive on ✓, 1915

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P. M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Stell Bone

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) J. Michael Curran, M. D.

Jan 9<sup>th</sup>, 1915 (Address) Towmoke Bay

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

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Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

J. L. Cemetery

DATE OF BURIAL  
1/10, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER Stevenson Bros

ADDRESS  
Poconoloke

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1 PLACE OF DEATH	
County	Worcester
Village or City	Stockton
2 FULL NAME	
Marie R. Redden	
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS	
3 SEX	4 COLOR OR RACE
Female	White
5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED	Married
(Write the word)	
6 DATE OF BIRTH	
June 20, 1895	
(Month)	(Day)
(Year)	
7 AGE	8 OCCUPATION
19 yrs. 6 mos. 20 ds.	(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. House wife
(b) General nature of Industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) House work	
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)	
Maryland	
10 NAME OF FATHER	
John P. Sharpley	
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country)	
Maryland	
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	
Esther True	
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country)	
Maryland	
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE	
(Informant) Harry C. Rounds	
(Address) Second Street	
15 Filed 1/28/1915-10 O'Clock	

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 614 Franklin St., Balt., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

1129 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 354

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 27, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 20, 1915, to Jan 27, 1915, that I last saw her alive on Jan 27, 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3 P.M., The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Myocarditis

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
(Signed) John D. Dickerson, M. D.  
Jan 27, 1915 (Address) Stockton, Md.

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Goodwill Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL 1/29/1915

20 UNDERTAKER S. Dickerson & Bros ADDRESS 1000 Market St., Balt.

Md

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Worcester

Village or City Pocomoke City

1130

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 360

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Bessie Dukes Ross

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female	4 COLOR OR RACE W	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married
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## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

July 30, 1879  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE X 26 yrs. 6 mos. 24 ds.	If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min.?
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## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work.  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

Wife

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)

Md

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Byard Dukes

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)

Md

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Annie Brithingham

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

Md

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Annie Farn

(Address) Philadelphia

## 15

Filed 28, 1915

Signature of Informant: E. B. Hallinan

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan 24, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Dec 20, 1914, to Jan 24, 1915

that I last saw her alive on Jan 24, 1915

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Short following  
delivery of baby

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Hemorrhage, Turner's Disease  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Attestation, M. D.

Jan 25, 1915 (Address) Pocomoke City, Md

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. in the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

M. L. Berkeley

DATE OF BURIAL  
1/26, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

A. C. Brown

ADDRESS  
Pocomoke

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Worcester

Village or City Pocomoke City (No. 5)

1131

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 350St. Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME John Carl Ross

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Single</u> (Write the word)
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6 DATE OF BIRTH Jan 24, 1915

(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE <u>0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.</u>	If LESS than 1 day, <u>0 hrs.</u> OR <u>0 min. ?</u>
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## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. None

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) None

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md10 NAME OF FATHER Carl Ross11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Bessie Dukes13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Annie Farn(Address) Phila. Pa.

## 15

Filed 1/27/27, 191Signature Gibson Hallman

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 24, 1915

(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

191 to 191

that I last saw him alive on 191

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 191

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Born dead

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) A. A. Taylor, M. D.1/25, 1915 (Address) Pocomoke City

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL M P CemeteryDATE OF BURIAL 1/26, 19120 UNDERTAKER Stevenson BrosADDRESS Pocomoke

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County Worcester

Village or City Snow Hill (No. ....),

1132

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 351

St. .... Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Sturby C. Stevens

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Dec 22, 1899  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 85 yrs. 0 mos. 15 ds. If LESS than  
1 day, .... hrs.  
OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION Former  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE Pennsylvania  
(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER Bishop Stevens

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER ermont  
(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Sarah J. Miller

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Ohio  
(State or country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) E. H. Conley  
(Address) Snow Hill, #4

15 Filed 1/7, 1915 LeRoy Smith

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 6, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 3, 1915, to Jan 3, 1915,  
that I last saw him alive on Jan 3, 1915,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10-30 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

metral regurgitation

(Duration) Don't know yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Logorrhea  
Secondary

(Duration) John E. Riley yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Jan 6, 1915 (Address) Snow Hill, Md. M. D.

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
If not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Baptist church yard, Jan 7, 1915 DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER Le T. Evans ADDRESS Snow Hill

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Norchester

Village or City Girdletree (No. ....)

1133

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 354

St. .... Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

79

2 FULL NAME Malvina J. Sturgis

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Write the word) Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH

January third, 1840  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

75 yrs. .... mos. 28 ds. If LESS than  
1 day, .... hrs.  
OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work at home  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) House Keeping

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country) Maryland

## PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER

don't know

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country) don't know

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

don't know

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country) don't know

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Edward Sturgis(Address) Girdletree Md.

15

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH January 31, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan. 21, 1915, to Jan 30, 1915,

that I last saw her alive on Jan 30, 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Heart failure

(Duration) old age yrs. .... mos. .... ds.  
Contributory old age, indolence, malnutrition  
Secondary

(Doration) old age yrs. .... mos. .... ds.  
(Signed) Walter J. Richards, M. D.  
Feb. 1, 1915 (Address) Snow Hill Md.

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. .... mos. .... ds. to the State yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
If not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Girdletree M. P. Cemetery 1/21, 1915  
20 UNDERTAKER

Hancock & Son Stockton Md.  
ADDRESS

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Worcester

Village or City Stockton (No. 5)

2 FULL NAME Not married

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 354

St. 5 Ward Tars

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH 1 7, 1915

(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE Stile Bore yrs. mos. ds. If LESS than  
1 day, hrs. OR min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work.

None

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

None

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Frank Tars

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Viola B. Ward

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Thos. B. Shockley

(Address) Stockton Ind

15

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 1 7, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

191 to 191, 191

that I last saw h. alive on 191

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 191 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

No Doctor attended  
Stile Bore

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) W. O. Payne, M. D.

1/7/15 (Address) Stockton Ind

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Blessville Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL 1/8/15, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER Hancock & Son ADDRESS Stockton Ind

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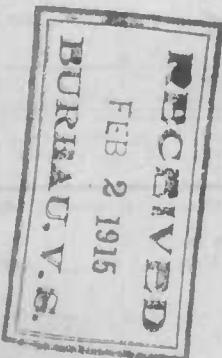
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County *Worcester*

Village or City *Stockton* (No. ....)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. *354*

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME *Joseph W. Taylor*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX *Male* 4 COLOR OR RACE *Colored* 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) *Married*

6 DATE OF BIRTH *Oct 27, 1885*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE *29 yrs. 3 mos. 27 ds.*  
If LESS than  
1 day, .... hrs.  
OR .... min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work *Barker*  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer) *Barbering*

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) *Virginia*

10 NAME OF  
FATHER *William S. Taylor*

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) *Virginia*

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER *Ella Douglas*

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) *Virginia*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) *William S. Taylor*

(Address) *Georgetown, Del.*

15 Filed *1/25/1915* — *W. O. Hague*

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *Jan. 23, 1915*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

*Jan. 20, 1915*, to *Jan. 20, 1915*that I last saw him alive on *Jan. 20, 1915*and that death occurred on the date stated above, at *10:30 a.m.*

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

*Obstruction of the Bowels*  
(Duration) *3* yrs. *3* mos. *3* ds.

Contributory  
Secondary  
(Duration) *3* yrs. *3* mos. *3* ds.

(Signed) *John D. Dickerson*, M. D.  
Jan. 23, 1915 (Address) *Stockton, Md.*

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At place \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the  
of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
If not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence.

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

*Stockton St. Paul cemetery* DATE OF BURIAL  
*1/25/1915*

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

*Rouley & Purcell* *Stockton, Md.*

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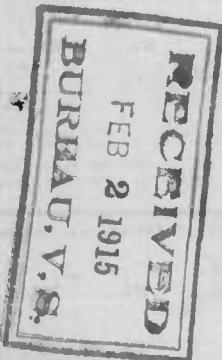
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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 350

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Accomac Co., Va.

Village or City Bear's Den Inn (No.)

2 FULL NAME Minnie Devine Jee

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 14, 1893  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 11 yrs. 10 mos. 2 ds. IF LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
OR \_\_\_\_\_ min. ?

8 OCCUPATION Schoolgirl  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work.  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)

8 BIRTHPLACE Virginia  
(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER Eugene Jee

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Virginia  
(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Minnie Collins

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Virginia  
(State or country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) Eugene Jee  
(Address) Bear's Den Inn

15 Filed 4/16, 1915 by Eugene Jee

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PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 16, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 4, 1915, to Jan 15, 1915,  
that I last saw her alive on Jan 15, 1915,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:40 a.m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:  
Acute Gastritis

Contributory A delicate child  
Secondary allergy

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Eugene Jee (Address) Accomac Co., Va. M. D.  
Jan 16, 1915

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At place \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Farm Virginia DATE OF BURIAL 1/18, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER McAusland & Co., Roanoke ADDRESS

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester

Village or City Snow Hill (No. 146),

1137 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 307

St. Ward

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME J. James Webb

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3 SEX

## 4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

MARRIED

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Oct. 4, 1873  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

41 yrs. 3 mos. 15 ds.  
If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work

Mail carrier

(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)

P.R. Mail carrier

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

557

10 NAME OF FATHER

Isaac Webb

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Olivia Taylor

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Jess. James Webb

(Address) Snow Hill Md.

15

Filed Jan 21, 1915 by LeRoy Smith

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan 19, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
12/27, 1914 to Jan 19, 1915,

that I last saw him alive on Jan 19, 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Sepsis, Myocarditis  
Pronounced pneumonia, pleurisy, bronchitis  
Primary infection, abscess of upper jaw  
From abscessed tooth (Duration) yrs. 28 days

Contributory "Grippe" in early winter followed  
by poor general health (Duration) yrs. 2 mos. ds.

(Signed) E. W. Stewart, M. D.  
1/20, 1915 (Address) Snow Hill, Md.

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## 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Bethesda cemetery Jan 21, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

W. G. Heard Snow Hill

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Wicomico

near Snow Hill (No. 15)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 357

St. Ward

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Blanche West

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Widowed (Write the word)

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

Dec 31, 1914  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

1 yrs. 12 mos. 12 ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. 000  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) —

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country) Maryland

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Sampson West

## 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country) Maryland

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Rosy Dennis

## 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country) Maryland

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Sampson West

(Address) Gswark, B.F. 1

15 Filed 1/12, 1915 LeRoy Smith

REGISTRAR

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 6 E. Franklin St., Balt., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Jan. 12, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

191, to 191, that I last saw h alive on 191,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 191 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

No D<sup>2</sup> in attendance  
weakling from birth  
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

## Contributory

Secondary

LeRoy Smith (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
(Signed) L. Reg, M. D.  
(Address) Local, 191

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Gswark, country road Jan. 12, 1915 DATE OF BURIAL

## 20 UNDERTAKER

W. P. Dennis ADDRESS Snow Hill

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Mercer

Village or City Recurve City (No.)

1139 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 350

St. Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

(66)

Lear Wheaton

## 2 FULL NAME

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH unknown  
(Month) 1 (Day) 1 (Year)

7 AGE about  
69 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. If LESS than  
1 day, 0 hrs. 0 min. OR 0 min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work.  
000  
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which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF  
FATHER unknown

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) unknown

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER Payne

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) unknown

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John Wheaton

(Address) Recurve City, Md

15 Filed 2/1/1915 John H. Hickman

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Jan 31, 1915

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
1-31, 1915, to 1-31, 1915,

that I last saw him alive on 1-31, 1915,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at Recurve.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Paralysis

(Duration) 3 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) 0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

(Signed) A. A. Posner, M. D.

1-31, 1915 (Address) Recurve City, Md

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At place of death 0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. In the State 0 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence?

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Selby Farm Recurve 2/1, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

Geo. Corrigan ADDRESS New Church Virginia

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